



A COLLECTION OF WILD AND CULTIVATED POTATO AND MELLUCO TUBERS FROM SOUTH AMERICA. (S. P. I. Nos. 35703 to 35868.)

Mr. W. F. Wight made a preliminary investigation of the potato situation in Chile and Peru, extending his explorations to the Chiloe Archipelago of southern Chile. This represents only a portion of the tubers secured. Among them is the remarkable yellow-fleshed potato and a number of wild forms, the economic possibilities of which have yet to be determined. (Photograph P11806FS.)